

## Social and Personal

### The Dearest Corner.

The dearest corner in our home,  
Which is it do you say?  
Where rich old heirlooms, queer and  
 quaint,  
With time are stored away?

Where ancient gods of gold and grace  
Smile from the dusk and dim;  
Where Buddha's double faces  
Like specters dark and grim?

The dearest corner? Not for gifts  
Of gold and time and space,  
I choose a cozy little spot  
And, leaning over the cradle keep  
My little babe asleep.

—The Delineator.

### Davidson-Koerner.

One of the prettiest home weddings of the autumn was celebrated Wednesday, November 14th, at 6:30 P. M., when Miss Hattie May Koerner, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Koerner, of No. 134 Floyd Avenue, was given in marriage to Mr. Edwin Davidson, the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Bruce Davidson, of Bedford City, and the commercial agent of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, with headquarters at Atlanta, Ga.

The Rev. J. Calvin Stewart, of the Church of the Covenant, performed the ceremony, and Mr. John Yarbrough played the wedding marches and during the ceremony, "Volets."

The bride entered with her mother of honor, and wore a gown of white crepe de chine with garnitures of real pearls. Her veil was caught with sprays of lilies of the valley, and she carried a bouquet of the same flowers.

Mrs. Thomas Lowden West, of Mexico City, the mother of honor, wore pink chiffon, trimmed in duchess lace, and carried a large bouquet of pink roses held with pink tulle.

The bridesmaids, Misses Madge West, Bessie Martin, of Farmville, and Mary Collier Koerner, were daintily dressed in white silk with pink girdles, and carried pink chrysanthemums.

Little Misses Elizabeth McGill, of Tennessee, and Laura Richardson, of the flower girls, and wore dainty pink silk costumes.

Mr. Henry L. King was the best man, and Mr. Gordon Strachan, of Dr. Scott Martin, of Farmville, and Dr. Egbert W. McGruder, of this city, were groomsmen.

Among the guests from a distance were Mrs. Elizabeth Bruce and Mr. J. T. Davidson, of Bedford City; Mr. Cornelius Jones, of Port Norfolk; Mr. Willis Martin, of Waverly; Mrs. Leon Ware, of Staunton; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas West, of Mexico City.

Miss Koerner is connected with many influential Virginia families, being descended from the Madisons, Lewises, Thomases, and other equally notable and well known names. Added to her many charms and accomplishments is the fact that she is one of the most graceful and fearless equestrians in the State, and that she has won many prizes for her riding.

Her father, Mr. George W. Koerner, is State Commissioner of Agriculture, and has represented his section in the Virginia House of Delegates several times.

### Seay-Cardozo.

Miss Rosa Harris Cardozo, daughter of the late Matthew Cameron Cardozo, and Dr. George Edward Seay, were married in the Presbyterian Church at Blackstone on Tuesday evening, November 13th, by the Rev. Theodore Dyes.

The church was beautifully decorated with palms and potted plants. Miss Nellie Harley presided at the organ.

The bride wore a beautiful tailor-made suit of blue broadcloth, and carried a large bouquet of pink chrysanthemums. She entered on the arm of her uncle, Mr. Samuel Watkins, by whom she was given away.

The bridesmaids, wearing gowns of white silk with pink accents, and carrying white chrysanthemums, were Misses Mary Watkins, of Farmville; Miss Grace Verby, of Baltimore; Miss E. Hethorn, Miss V. Gregory, Miss M. Tate, of Lunenburg, and Miss P. Seay, of Blackstone.

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### Lewis-Willets.

Cards of invitation have been received by friends in Richmond to the marriage of Miss Natalie Stover Willets, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Willets, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Arthur Montague Lewis, of this city, who will take place on Thursday evening, November 15th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Westminster Presbyterian church, at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will be at home after December 15th, at Hamilton Court, thirty-ninth and Chestnut Streets.

Mr. Lewis was a former resident of Richmond, and his many friends here will be interested in hearing of his approaching marriage.

### Heath-McBee.

The Portsmouth Star publishes the following account of the Heath-McBee wedding, which took place in Greenville, N. C., November 14th:

An event of social interest in Portsmouth throughout the State was the marriage on Monday evening of Miss Rosalind Behrens McBee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McBee, and Mr. James Elliott Heath, Jr., of Norfolk, Va. This happy event was solemnized in Christ Church, Greenville, amid a scene of beauty.

Mrs. Blund Williams, mother of honor and sister of Mr. Heath, wore an elaborate gown of corn-colored chiffon over a blue dress.

For a few moments it seemed that their object would be attained without danger, for the bride and groom, with their bridesmaids, were half-way across the chancel when the bride's train caught in the aisle.

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## POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

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## MY SHADOW.

By ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

Other selections from Stevenson, his portrait, autograph and biographical sketch have already been printed in this series.



HAVE a little shadow that goes in and out with me,  
And what can be the use of him is more than I can see.  
He is very, very like me from the heels up to the head;  
And I see him jump before me, when I jump into my bed.

The funniest thing about him is the way he likes to grow—  
Not at all like proper children, which is always very slow;  
For he sometimes shoots up taller, like an India-rubber ball,  
And he sometimes gets so little that there's none of him at all.

He hasn't got a notion of how children ought to play,  
And can only make a fool of me in every sort of way.  
He stays so close beside me, he's a coward you can see;  
I'd think shame to stick to nurse as that shadow sticks to me!

One morning, very early, before the sun was up,  
I rose and found the shining dew on every buttercup;  
But my lazy little shadow, like an arrant sleepy-head,  
Had stayed at home behind me and was fast asleep in bed.



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A large reception will be given on Wednesday evening from 9 to 11 at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Mary Barbara Crovo, and Mr. Charles Parnell Dugan, were married Wednesday morning, at 8:30 o'clock, in St. Peter's Cathedral, the Rev. Father Joseph Magri officiating. Nuptial mass was celebrated.

The bride and groom were attended by four little flower girls, Carrie Dugan, Bartlett Crovo, Katie Ryan, and Mary North. The bridesmaids, wearing gowns of white silk with pink accents, and carrying white chrysanthemums, were Misses Mary Watkins, of Farmville; Miss Grace Verby, of Baltimore; Miss E. Hethorn, Miss V. Gregory, Miss M. Tate, of Lunenburg, and Miss P. Seay, of Blackstone.

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East Grace Birest. Members are urged to attend and to bring their thank offering with them.

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club met Monday evening with Misses Harrie, The highest score was made by Mrs. F. J. Traversa.

The Emma Andrews Whist Club will meet with Mrs. Beltra Blair Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Kate Wheelock Whist Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Willard. The winners were Mrs. W. J. Williams and Mrs. Charles Wingo; east and west, Mrs. N. T. Loder and Mrs. Edmund Vaddell. The club will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Loder.

Miss Kathryn C. Chisholm, after a visit to friends in the city, has returned to her home in Lynchburg.

Miss Annie Penick is home after a delightful visit to Mrs. L. B. Allen, in Norfolk.

W. S. Bell is spending a few days in Bristol.

Mrs. Murcherson, of New York, is spending some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunkamp at their lovely home, "Boscobel," in Stafford county.

Mr. W. H. Galloway is the guest of his brother, Mr. C. W. Galloway, in Roanoke.

Miss Elsie Timberlake, of Newport News, is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. W. L. Boyd is spending this week with the family of Mr. T. C. Coghill, at Bowling Green.

Mr. Clarence L. Gunst is in Winchester for a few days.

Judge George M. Harrison, of Staunton, is here attending the November term of the Court of Appeals.

Mr. Benmosher is visiting friends in Newport News.

Mrs. T. B. Gill, of Caroline county, is the guest of friends in this city. Later she will visit relatives in Norfolk and Blackstone.

Mr. J. A. Reynolds is at the Ponce de Leon, in Roanoke.

Messrs. William and Reuben Bradous have returned to the city after a visit to their parents in the country.

Dr. John Pollard and family are the guests of friends in the city at a short time, before leaving for their future home in Atlanta.

Mr. J. W. Scholter has returned home after a pleasant stay with relatives in Fredericksburg.

Miss Virginia Upshaw has returned to her home in Caroline county after a visit to friends in this city.

Mr. P. P. Toone has gone to Roanoke for a few days.

Miss Lucy Bowie, who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned to her home in Caroline county.

WEST END BRIEFS.

Mrs. O. J. Ford, of No. 204 Floyd Avenue, who has been visiting friends and relatives in the city, has returned after making a ten days' visit to the St. Louis Fair.

Master George Hanks, Jr., youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. George Hanks of Laurel Street, who was operated on a few days ago by Dr. J. G. Hanks, is getting along very nicely.

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## TWO MASKED MEN HOLD UP MINATURE TRAIN

John T. O'Brien, of Jersey City, and Man From Kalamazoo

Lost Valuables.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ST. LOUIS, MO., November 16.—A new exhibition which was on the program, and was added to the World's Fair attractions—a hold-up on the miniature railroad within a few minutes of the start of the show.

The most up-to-date train robbery was making, and if the affair had occurred on the plains and with a train of real passengers, it would have been more realistic.

It is not to be inferred, however, that there was anything but reality about the hold-up in the exhibition grounds. It certainly was no joke to John T. O'Brien, of Jersey City, who lost his gold watch and all his money, or to a passenger from Kalamazoo, who was robbed of all his money.

The screams and weeping of a woman who lost more than \$100 did not indicate that any humor in the situation was intended. But if the exhibition management had planned the affair to add a zest to the exhibition, the most generous toward the robbers would have added nothing to the setting provided by the train robbers.

A train was making its way through the miniature grounds when two masked men stopped out from behind a large tree and drew out their pistols, compelling the engine driver to bring the train to a sudden stop.

"Stand up!" was the order of the robbers, and one glance at the leveled revolvers was enough to bring immediate obedience. While the two men aboard the train submitted in silence, the crowd of spectators, however, did not.

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